

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANT: FRITZ SEELHOFER      ART UNIT: 3754**

**SERIAL NO.: 10/533,741      EXAMINER: PHILIPPE DERAKSHANI**

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**TITLE: TAMPER-PROOF HINGED CLOSURE FOR FILM-SEALED BOTTLES  
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**PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION**

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Dear Sir:

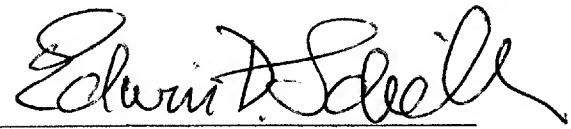
Applicant hereby petitions, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), for a two-month extension, until August 2, 2006, in which to file a Response to the first Office Action, dated March 2, 2006, for the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory

period for response expired on June 2, 2006. The requisite fee of \$450.00 (large entity) is being concurrently remitted via EFT.

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